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September 19, 1999

Mr. Lester Snow  
Executive Director  
CALFED  
1416 Ninth Street, Suite 1155  
Sacramento, CA 95814

Dear Mr. Snow:

I am a 4<sup>th</sup> generation Californian, a resident of Fair Oaks for 18 years, and life-long user and admirer of the great California outdoors.

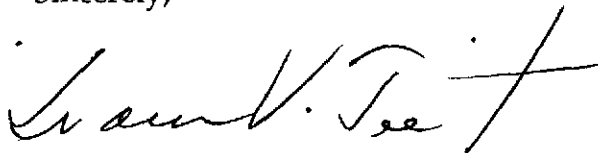
I will be unable to attend the September 22<sup>nd</sup> Sacramento CALFED hearing. Therefore, I am writing to encourage CALFED to adopt a plan that does not rely on proposed dam raises or new off-stream storage reservoirs.

In addition, I ask that the plan maximize water efficiency and conservation, as well as base future water needs on realistic assumptions rather than inflated demands.

Removal of some dams that have acted as barriers to fish migration and acquisition and restoration of fish and wildlife habitat will better assure future generations of Californians and our visitors the opportunity to continue to enjoy much of what makes California beautiful and unique.

Your consideration of these requests is most appreciated.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Warren V. Truitt". The signature is fluid and stylized, with a large, sweeping flourish at the end.

Warren V. Truitt